

LEGAL PRACTICE COUNCIL

NOTICE 2490 OF 2024

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THE SOUTH AFRICAN LEGAL PRACTICE COUNCIL

NOTICE IN TERMS OF SECTION 36(3) & 36(4) OF THE LEGAL PRACTICE ACT, 28 OF 2014.

Notice is hereby given that the Council intends to amend the Code of Conduct made under the authority of sections 36(1) of the Legal Practice Act, 28 of 2014 (as amended) by insertion of a new paragraph 9.11 relating to conduct in terms of legal practice in Conveyancing, Notary, and Patent work under Part II of the Code of Conduct.

Explanatory Note

Words in *Italic* and underlined with a solid line indicate proposed insertions.

Proposed insertion of paragraph 9.11 of the Legal Practice Council Code of Conduct:

9.11. A legal practitioner shall be guilty of misconduct if: either in his/her own name or under any other style or name, or in partnership with any person or persons under their names or any style or name, or an incorporated practice of which he/she is a member under any style or name, holds out or advertise him/her self, their partnership, or their incorporated practice as being qualified to undertake conveyancing, notary, and/or patent work, where he/she is not qualified to do so.

In terms of Section 36(5) of the Act, interested persons are called upon to comment to the Council in writing on the draft amendments. All comments must be sent by email to rules@lpc.org.za by no later than **10 June 2024**.

Signed at Midrand on 24 April 2024.

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